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July 31, 2019

Ms. Emma Best  
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Somerville, MA 02144

Dear Ms. Best,

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests DON-NAVY-2019-008262 dated June 20, 2019; DON-NAVY-2019 007876 dated June 11, 2019; and DON-NAVY-2019-007419 dated May 30, 2019; in which you request, “a copy of the list or printout or database listing of Inspector General Investigations closed/reports completed during calendar year[s]” 2016 – 2018. A search of the Naval Inspector General’s NIGHTS database was conducted, and the resulting reports are attached. Potential fees associated with this response are waived.

If you feel the documents provided are not responsive, you may appeal. If you have an account in *FOIAonline*, you may submit an appeal directly within the web-based system. To appeal, log into your account, retrieve your original request, and then click on the “Create Appeal” tab in the left-hand column. The basic information from your request will be duplicated, and you can then describe the basis of your appeal. If you do not have a *FOIAonline* account or you prefer to use regular mail, you may submit an appeal to:

OFFICE OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL  
ATTN: FOIA APPEALS – CODE 14  
1322 PATTERSON AVENUE SE SUITE 3000  
WASHINGTON NAVY YARD DC 20374-5066

Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include your letter of appeal, a copy of your initial request and a copy of this letter. You are encouraged, but not required, to state why you believe our search was insufficient and your appeal should be granted. I strongly recommend that your appeal and its envelope both bear the notation, “Freedom of Information Act Appeal.”

For any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you have the right to contact the Department of the Navy FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at Christopher.A.Julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031.

Additionally, you have the right to contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) to inquire about FOIA mediation services. For more information about services provided by OGIS, please visit their website at [www.archives.gov/ogis](http://www.archives.gov/ogis). The Office of Government Information Services can be contacted by email at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); telephone at (202) 741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; facsimile at (202) 741-5769; or by mail at:

OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT INFORMATION SERVICES,  
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I am the official responsible for this decision; if you have any questions concerning this matter, I can be reached at (202) 433-2186.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jean M. Kilker".

JEAN M. KILKER  
Associate Counsel